Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Currently amended) A method of answering an incoming call with a communication device having a selectively connectable voice interface and a user interface, said method comprising the steps of:

    (a)   detecting said incoming call;

    (b)   detecting a connection state of said selectively connectable voice interface;

    (c)   connecting to said incoming call in response to an interaction at said user interface, if said connection state is connected; and

    (d)   if said connection state is disconnected, answering said incoming call in response to ~~at least one of an interaction at said user interface and~~ a change in said connection state.

2. (Currently amended) A method of initiating a call with a communication device having a selectively connectable voice interface and a user interface, said method comprising the steps of:

    (a)   originating a request for said call in response to a user command;

    (b)   detecting a connection state of said voice interface <u>at the time of said request</u>;

    (c)   initiating said call in response to a command at said user interface, if said connection state is connected; and

(d)   if said connection state is disconnected, alerting said user of said disconnected state.

3. (Original) The method of claim 2 further comprising the step of initiating said call in response to a change in said connection state from disconnected to connected.

4. (Original) The method of claim 2 wherein the step of originating a request for said call in response to a user command comprises the steps of:

(a)   detecting said connection state of said voice interface;

(b)   displaying a dialing interface if said connection state is connected, and

(c)   if said connection state is disconnected, displaying said dialing interface in response to user interaction with said user interface.

5. (Original) The method of claim 4 further comprising the step of initiating said call in response to a change in said connection state from disconnected to connected.

6. (Currently amended) A method of initiating a call with a communication device having a selectively connectable voice interface and a user interface, said method comprising the steps of:

(a)   detecting a connection state of said voice interface;

(b)   displaying a dialing interface if said connection state is connected,

(c)   if said connection state is disconnected, displaying said dialing interface in response to user interaction with said user interface.

(d)   originating a request for said call in response to a user command;

(e) detecting a connection state of said voice interface <u>at the time of said request</u>;

(f)   initiating said call in response to a command at said user interface, if said connection state is connected;

(g)   if said connection state is disconnected, alerting said user of said disconnected state; and

(h)   thereafter, initiating said call in response to a change in said connection from a disconnected state to a connected state.